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Hangkong, 19th December, 1908

very disorderly. They wanted to go behind the

cited and was under the influence of drink.

and was struggling to get away.

the desk in the charge room.

under the influence of drink?—His manner,

What did he do?-He was held by two men

That would hardly show he was under the in-

Could be stand ?-Yes he stood up. Witness

fluence of drink, would it? Was there any

smell of drink about him !- I did not smell any

added that he did not see defendant walk by

police, but he could not recognise him.

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THE CHINESE IMPERIAL MARITIME

CUSTOMS LONDON OFFICE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS.

Sir.-A correspondent in your issue of to-

lines as one of their offices in a treaty port and combining the functions of a police court,

inquiry or detective-office, a collection-office,

was merely a commercial agency, however,

orderly conduct.

liberal scale.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1899.

SERIOUS FIRE AT BANGKOK.

tinguishing appliances handy on the premises,

but it was not finally extinguished till

about noon on Sunday. The whole big.

mill, with all its valuable machinery, was des-

troyed. Roughly speaking the loss in estimated

at £8,000. The property was insured in the

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him to lose his lamb.



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At the General-Hospital, Shanghai, on the 30th April, 1897, of typhoid fever, CARL SCHULTZE, uged 24 years, a native of Germany, and late of the Doutsch-Asiatische Bank.

## The Haily Aress Honosone, May 6th, 1899.

REUTER's message announcing the resignation of the Italian Ministry in consequence of a division of opinion on the Chinese policy of the Government is interesting, but it leaves us in some doubt as to what were the points of difference between the Govment were; we believe, pledged to seek the acquisiton of a port in China, over which the fing of Italy was to fly and a sphere of influence be thereby secured for Italian cuterprise. The port of Sanmun on the const of Chekiang was selected, and a demand for its lease duly formulated by the Italian Minister in Peking. In this demand Italy was to receive the passive (if not netive) support of Great Britain; but, as our readers are aware, the Tsungli Yamer. China and the service in 1874. He was a land also to give light to those on board the junk. at once became bold and refused to lease any territory to Ifaly, and the Italian Minister, misinterpreting his instructions. proceeded to issue an ultimatum, which ended in his recall. Meantime a squadron Oregon counties. In 1890 he went into business | words he saw a red light and also a green a year in salary and allowances, not to mention had been ordered out to China to back in New York, but returned to Oregon a year light. He took them to be the lights up italian demands, and sundry warships have arrived in China waters, while others his death from apoplexy. He has loft a widow. are said to be en voule. But the whole hing was mismanaged, and the Chinese Government, probably moved thereto by certain the great regret of his numerous friends. He the Foreign Ministers, have taken up (for such an invertebrate corpus) quite a determined attitude. The fact that Denmark, Belgium, and Austria-Hungary were credited with ambitions for settlements on

the coast of China also no doubt helped to

stiffen the backs of the mandarins, and at

any rate confirmed them in opposition to the

demands of Italy. ority referred to by General Pelloux in the ler for the Northern Railway to Shanhaikwan. course of the debate in the Italian Parlin- beyond which the line will be under Chinese ment? Do they approve of the proposal to control. acquire for Italy what other European Powers have gained in China, but are or minion that some one has blundered in the nogotiations and caused the prestige of Italy to sustain a damaging blow? Or do the minority represent that public in Italy waich, disgusted with the results of the little effort of Lintian colonisation in Africa, 18 hostile to any further experiments in colonisation abroad? This party argues that Ituly's interests in China are small and that any attempt to found a colony there would only entail a further addition to the bardens already laid on the Italian exchequer. In this respect no doubt there is something to be said. With the exception of a small share in the silk trade Italy has practically no commercial relations with China, and one of the Italian papers, evidently hard pressed to discover the importance of Italian interests in China, made a great point of the very large and important Mis Hupeh, Whatever may be the views of the Rambudez and that the Estate. this large minority, their action has certainly dynifed to upset the Cabinet. Probably the ministers were not sorry to find a pretext for resigning, and thus casting on

tling the rather awkwork problem which the unexpected indoclity of the Taung-II

Yamen has opened up. When the demand for a lease of Sanmun was first made the Italian Government had no idea, we imagine, that any grave objection would be raised by the Tanugh Yamen. This is the first real check that has for several years been offered by the Peking Government to foreign demands. But it cannot be denied that the rebuff given to Italy has, served to stay other demands. Only the other day the Premier speaking in the Hungarian Diet

said that there was no present intention on the part of Austria-Hungary of acquiring territory in China, and nothing further has been heard of the Belgian desire to secure left Chi Loong Point in company with another a port in China. No doubt Austria-Hungary, like Italy, is only biding her large fleet of junks in their immediate neightime, as the moment does not seem pro- bourhood. They had been to sell their fish pitious for urging any claim, but for the present the Chinese Government have staved | was approximately couth, by Chinese compass off what they conceive to be a difficulty. Whether that respite will prove long or short will depend probably on their own, strength. At about half-past one there were the dog away when an Indian came up and gave course of conduct, but the trend of politics recently has been distinctly favourable for China. Great Britain and Germany, Great Britain and France, and last, but certainly not least in importance, Great Britain and about throe minutes afterwards is green light him and brought me to the Police Station. Russia have arrived at agreements, which will at least have a tendency to preserve peace and prevent aggression. At the same time it will be well for the Tsungli Yamen to take heed that they do not attempt to break faith with any of the Western Powers or seek to neutralise the concessions made, for the Powers will be less minded than ever to brook violations of the Treaties. Instead of being able to play off successfully done of late, the Chinese Ministers will find them more or less united in insisting upon the Treaties being

Messrs, McGregor Bros. & Gow have taken over the agency of the Glan line of steamers at

observed and r paration being promptly

made for injuries or losses sustained.

The silk ex Canadian Pacific Railway Co. s stonmer Empress of China was delivered in New York on the 30th April-

The case of the Bank of China against its Chinese shareholders at Shanghai will shortly be reheard before the new Taotai, who has asked the parties interested to fix a day for the rehearing.-China Gazette:

At Canton on the 3rd inst. a grand review of the Native and Manchu troops was held on the East Parade Ground, at which the Tartar General, the Viceroy, and many civil and military mandarins and some Enropeans were present. On the following day a review of the

The direction of the Hougkong Hotel Co. l-are breaking out in a now place in the provision of entextainment for visitors at that big cararangervi. The Band of the Hongkong Regiment has been engaged to discourse sweet music on Saturday evenings, and will this evening give their first performance, from 8.30 p.m. to

H.M.S. Woodlark was christened at Shanghai on let May by Mrs. Montgemorie and most successfully launched, gliding into the water like a bird. The function was arranged so hurriedly that there was no time to send out invitations, and there were only present H. M. Consul General Mr. Byron Brenan, Capt. Mont.

The Chingshowfu correspondent of the N. C. Daily News writes -- We hear that the new | she had a very good light burning at the time. | within its influence. German port of Tsintao is developing rapidly. Plaintiff said his junk was about 75 feet. At all times, and especially in the event of skirmishing. While absent from his mining Three large and handsome streets are being long and 18 feet beam. She was air years any crisis in China, there are constant com- concessions all his cattle and other personal laid out and building plots are apportioned and old and carried two masts. He described munications passing between it and the Foreign property were stolen, or, to put it in his building going on space. A public park is in what took place on the sixth of March, when Office and Colonial Office and it has become own words, were invisible upon his return. the plan and a bund and other necessaries of there were 16 persons on board the junk. He such a regular thing that when one of the A general looting had occurred; mining port life are promised, including supplies of said he shouted out to the people on the steamer | Permanent Secretaries is in doubt as to had taken a setback, and his services as music from a military band. The railway asking them to change their course, but they what advice he is to give the Scoretary mining angineer were not in demand. He conthrough the province is all but begun, and sa did not do so. Suddenly the red light which of State for Foreign Affairs, or the Se-cluded to visit England in the attempt to erament and the opposition. The Govern- there are no engineering difficulties of any con- was being shown by the steamer disappeared cretary of State for the Colonies, as the influence capital to invest in the African sequence, we may reasonably hope it will be and immediately afterwards the steamer struck | onse may be he immediately communicates with district, but the men of money were in an finished before the century closes. An enter- his junk on the port side smidship just in the establishment at Storey's Gate or intimates | uncertain mood chiefly arising from the dubious prising hotel proprietor promises a summer front of the main mast, and his junk capaized. that a call from the head of that office will methods that Mr. Krueger, the president of resort on the hills behind us here, which per The how of the steamer struck his junk. When oblige. The matter in question is then disthet the Transveal Government, was resorting to hepe some of us may live to see.

The how of the steamer struck his junk. When oblige. The matter in question is then disthet the Transveal Government, was resorting to the junk capsized he was thrown into the water. cassed and then settled. Why on and the evident unreliability of his conduct.

> March announces the death at Portland, from the steamer, and taken on board. Eleven Consular staff in China it is hard to say if they Captain Willoughby then visited the Hague, Poyntz Munro Fraser, whom many old rasid- remaining five three were saved by the steamer agency in London. ents will remember in the British' Consular and two by a fishing junk. He lost everything, service at Shanghai. He was appointed a stud- including \$820 which was on board. ent interpreter in 1859, and rose by degrees to genial companion and one of the pillars of the number of years in California, where he slou in question he was in the bow of the junk reflects on the matter will suppose for a wrote a large history of Benton and some other | helmsmen. Two or three minutes after- manager drawing over three thousand pounds ago too ill to undertake any work, though he of a steamer. Three or four minutes afterwards was able to be at church only the day before the steamer collided with the junk; The steamer but no children. He was a man of great bility and good education, but he unfortunately threw away his chances in China to lights burning on the junk-one at the stern was about sixty years old when he died.—N. C.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

(SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 3rd May. THE ANGLO-RUSSIAN AGREEMENT The Times states that the Angle-Russian

Agreement provides for the maintenance of a But what is the policy of the large min- British Chief Engineer and Financial Control-

> FRANCE AND SIAM. The New York Herald states that Siam has ceded the province of Luang-Prabang to France, who now abandons Chantabun to the neutral

THE QUEEN BETURNS TO ENGLAND. The Queen has started from Cimies on her iomeward journey

THE BUDGET. The Budget has passed its second reading in the House of Commons. TTALY AND THE CHINESE

VENTURE. The Italian Cabinet has resigned. General Pelloux stated that as the debate showed a large minority was opposed to the Chinese polloy, it was consequently futile to prolong a discussion which would impair Italian prestige.

AFFAIRS IN THE PHILIPPINES THE AMERICANS CAPTURE SAN

FERNANDEZ. Yesterday a private wire was received in the had been routed.

to the opposition the responsibility of set- lasting than alcohol,

SUPREME COURT. 5th April.

IN ADMIRALTY APRISOICTION. BEFORE HIS HON. W. M. GOODMAN (AUT-ING CHIER JUSTICE), WITH COMMAN

TIRED) AS ASSISSOR

CEATH AGAINST A BRITISH WAR-SHIP. Wong Tat Choy, owner of a Kwong Loon Tai junk, brought an action against Captain G. A. Callaghan, R.N., H.M.S. Hermione, to re over \$8,000 for damages sustained by colli

DER W. C. H. HASTINGS, R.N. (RE

Mr. Slade (instructed by Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master appeared for plaintiff and Mr. Robinson (instructed by Mr. Dennys) for

Mr. Slade said that about five o'clock on the afternoon of the sixth of March plaintiff's junk junk of the name of Yet Tai, owned and commanded by plaintiff's father. There was the previous morning and were sailing to their fishing grounds. The course steered by them (which might vary a considerable, number of Hotel last night about ten o'clock to get a drink degrees). The wind was somewhat to the I had a dog with me and a friend. The dog went South-east, about E.S.E., of very light behind the bar. I went behind the bar to get on deck four men the helmsman (who has me a clout which knocked me against the glasses, been drowned), the master of the junk, a man Then he ran out of the door and I went after keeping a look-out forward, and the man him. He tore a three yard finnel off my back, whose duty it was to attend to the sheets and knocked me down and nearly choked me. of the mainmast. Between one and two o'clock There are the marks on my neck now. He blew and a red light were seen almost simultaneously. The case was allowed to stand over for a First a green light appeared about and almost short time to allow of the man who was with simultaneously a red light. As the lights defendant being called as a witness. came nearer the master called the erew on

the Powers one against the other, as was so in his preliminary act of the course the Her- came and dragged him away, Onley being eventwith reference to the junk. As to the logal | nabore at two o'clock and had several drinks. European vessels of any kind, but a case of the picket the previous night between 10 and collision with one of Her Majesty's ships, governed by regulations of a proceedy similar character in the Queen's Regulations. He thought it was also beyond dispute that the regulations for preventing collision at sea did not apply to Chinese junks, these regulations being only applicable to such nations as had accepted them. He was cortain his learned friend could not show that they had ever been extended to Chinese native vessels. They had been extended to Chinese vessels of foreign build but not to Chinese native vessels. Therefore the position of the junk would be governed by the old maritime law of the world prior to any special regulations being imposed upon ships generally as to their conduct on the high seas, when it was perfectly clear and beyond dispute that a salling ship was under no obligation to carry Hongkong and London offices of the I. any light of any kind whatsoever.

> came into collision could recover if she did not carry any lights. Mr. Slade said certainly if there had been anything like reckless seamenship on board the ment; whilst the latter is merely a commercial other ship. She was not to be held to blams in agency. As regards the Hongkong office he is consequence of her not having lights. Mr. Slade correct, and he might have added that eince the proceeded to quote cames in support of his

His Lordship-You don't say that at the

His Lordship asked if a sailing ship which

carry a light. Mr. Slade reiterated that merchant ships not in I think, under a misapprehension, for it bound by the rules and regulations accepted in so what commercial business do they transact? ights had become universal; it was obligate forwarding of duffers for filling vacancies in the unusual element in the discharge. tory but with regard to junks he asked. His the staff, but there the commercial business He swallowed a lot of water and came up from earth the British taxpayer is called upon to He was unsuccessful in his mission, but not The Morning Oregonian of the 28th of under the junk and was picked up by a boat maintain the very expensive Ministerial and deterred.

Chung Yau Tai, a sailor on board plaintiff's oblighty the fact that their relatives mould cut into the junk, but not quite through, and then the junk capsized. When he saw the steamer bearing upon them there were two

and one at the hatchway. Both lights were burning brightly at the time of the collision. When the vessels collided he was thrown into the water and his head hurt. He was picked up by the Hermione's bout and well treated. The further hearing was adjourned.

WATER RETURN.

LEVEL AND STORAGE OF WATER IN RESEL VOIRS ON THE LET MAY.

STORAGE GALLONS, 148,100,000 183,080,000 CONSUMPTION OF WATER IN THE CITY OF VICTORIA AND HILL DISTRICT DURING

THE MONTH OF APRIL. 1808. 56,262,000 gala 90,085,000 Estimated popu-194,500 Consumption per 15:4 head per day & CONSUMPTION OF WATER

PENINBULA DURING THE MONTH OF 5,808,000 Consumption : Estimated popuconsumption pur head per day .... The Government Analyst reports that the

water is of excellent quality.

R. D. ORNSBY. Water Authority, THE RECALLED SILVER YEN.

A Tokyo dispatch states that the balance of the silver yen, which remained undisposed of 4 million ven is to be advanced to the Bank of Toiwan, and the balance has been sold at-After a long ride or fetigue of any sort, Shanghai, Hongkong, and other places, so that rived at Nagasaki at 6 s.m. on Thursday, the nothing tones up the system so quickly as the disposal of all the silver recalled when the 4th inst, and left again at 3 p.m. of same day for [2164 5 arranged, Kobe Chronicle.

THE HONGRONG THARD MARKET A MADINA IN TROUBLE.

At the Magistree prestordsy morning a marine from H.M.S. Tamer named Nicholas Oxiey Mr. J. Y. Vernou in his weekly share report dated 5th May says :--was charged with being drank and disorderly The market has ruled somewhat inactive and also with assaulting P.O. 744 and causing during the week and with the exception of rises and a fair business in Banks and Docks It was stated that defendant and another man and a stiffer feeling in rates generally there went into the Hongkong Hotel and became are no special features to report.

bar, and the boy called the watchman to put them a further improvement in the London rate who called the police. P.C. 744 came up and to 260 and a fair local domand the rate has frightened the master and crew of the junk outside. Defendant assaulted the watchman. he struggled with defendant, and in the struggle risen steadily during the week and sales have with their revolvers and ordered them to stop been effected at 272, 274, 275, 278, 280, and 2-1 undamaged. The constable got assistance, and per cent. prem. On time a few shares changed hands at 285 per cent. prems for July, and defendant was brought to the Police Station. Inspector Wurnock said he was in the Central at 200 for Angust. The market closes steady Police Station when defendant was brought in at 281 per cent. prem. Nationals have ruled the previous evening. He was very much ex- quiet with small sales at \$22, closing with sollers

MARINE INSURANCES.—China Traders have | gers was severely wounded and died the follow-His Worship-What made you think he was found small buyers at \$611. Unions continue ing day: on offer at \$280 and Cantons at \$1424. In the Northern Insurances and Straits there is no out in a wooden booth in the market town named local business to report. been negotiated in large lots at \$296 and \$297,

could be placed in small lots at \$81. himself; he was leaning on the bar in front of have remained weak with little or no business. but at time of closing are enquired for at \$29. hundred badly injured. Defendant said—I went into the Hongkong Indo-Chinas have been negotiated in large lots at \$691 and \$69, and at equivalent rates for June | market being very brisk. A picul of raw and July, market closing with sellers at latter rate. Douglases remain unchanged and with

REFINERIES.-China Sugars have been nethey sighted the white light of a steamer, and his whistle and three or four policemen joined gotiated at \$169 cash and at \$171 for Slat instant. Luzous have changed hands at \$47, \$49, and \$50, closing at \$48. MINING.—Punjoms have further improved

to \$7.75 with but few sales, shares being difficult to get even at the advanced rate. On appearing defendant's friend-James Clue, deck, and they shouted when the steamer come in mother marine said that between nine and Charbonnages have advanced to \$175 without night. They showed no flare, doing nothing but ten the previous night Oxley and he went to bringing any shares on the market, whilst sales are in a very sad state, and we are afraid that shout, because on a pole about seven feet the Hongkong Hetel bar, Witness called for are reported from Paris at the equivalent of our German friends will have a deal of trouble high at the stern of the junk a clear two glasses of boor, but as they wanted to \$190. Queen Mines have changed hands to a before they will be able to bring into subjection light was burning, and they trusted to that charge him 40 cents for it he would not have it. fair extent at 50 cents, but more shares are the unruly natives of that province. We have light; but sunfortunately it was not seen He saked to see the manager. When going to obtainable at the rate. Jelobus have remained received from our correspondent a deal of valuuntil too late and the Hermione crashed into see him the Sikh doorkeeper stopped them and steady at SIO with small sales, closing, with able information which we give below. Our the junk. Continuing, Mr. Slade said he would said they could not see the manager. The Sikh sellers. Raubs have roled very steady with readers will be able to judge by this corresask his Lordship to note that the junk people's then pushed Oxley, whose helmet dropped off. small sales and buyers at 258. Olivers continue pondence the west amount of worry the Goraccount of the lights was absolutely accurate As he was stooping to pick it up the Sikh went quiet and more or less out of the market. mans in Shantung are likely to have before when compared with the statement of defendant away. Only went for him and a policeman Great Easterns, with expected news of a second they can expect make matters to work smoothly. mione was steering and the position she was in ually taken to the Police Station. They came hands at \$3.65, \$3.75, and \$4, closing at \$41. to secure accuracy in the statements that kong and Whampon Docks after small sales he sent reliable men to make the necessary William Bowden, a Corporal in the Marines, of two steamers coming into collision or two from H.M.S. Aurora, said he was corporal of at 328 per cent, prem, quickly jumped with enquiries. He is a missionary of very high out sales at intermediate rates to 335 and standing, who began work in the Chi-me district He saw a marine apprehended by the civil afterwards to 340 with sales at those rates in 1865, and have continued to work there ever previous witness came to him, and he asked the closing stoady at 340. Kowloon Wharves con- about one thousand Church members and adcivil police to hand the marine over to him but | tinue quiet and neglected with no sales at | herents in connection with his work, therefore this they refused to do, and he went away. The quotation. Wanchais have been in a small be naturally feels concerned about the state of destroyed. The temple referred to is Choryo-limen in charge was under the influence of liquor. demand without bringing shares on the market. affairs there, and what he hopes is that in some in Kami Kari, Mine Profecture. Of many Defendant was fined 310, or 14 days, for die- Amoy Docks are wanted at \$15.

kong Lands have found buyers at \$80, \$801. and \$81, closing steady at the latter rate. Hotels have been in pretty general demand at \$79, \$80, \$81 to \$85 without bringing out that the following statements can be sub. It was the only set in the country. Only 154 any shares and at time of closing an unsatisfied demand still exists. West Points have changed hands in small lots at \$28 and Humphreys at \$91, both closing steady at quotations. Kowloon Lands are enquired for at \$24, but no sales have been reported. MISCELLANEOUS - Star Ferries have changed hands at \$14. Green Islands at \$241. Watsons | sect. day says that there is no similarity between the at \$15 and \$142, and China Providents at \$9.80.

Customs, the former being run on the same have been effected. AN ARTISTOCRAT BEFORE THE

Fenwicks an enquired for at \$35, but no sales

political agency, and a coast-guards establish-An able seaman was discharged for disability through illness from the ship Torrisdale on cession of the new territory to this colony they Tuesday. A similar proceeding has often occurred before and is likely to again. There is have been collecting dues on goods imported from abroad into British territory, such being comething unusual, however, about this parti cular case. It does not emanate from the dispresent time merchant ships do not have to the case. In saying that the London office charge itself. It is the man that makes it so. Captain John Tracy Willoughby, a mining engineer, recent of Matebeleland, South Africa modern times came under the old maritime rule. It is true that they order and forward sta- and one of the kaders in the Jameson raid in

In all civilised nations the rule of carry ng tionery, not to mention the examination and December, 1896, is the name that brings forth was in command of the forces of the Imperial applied to them, and that they were not bound be located in the city, whereas the Customs British South Africa Company and it was to carry lights. It came to this, that a junk | Loudon office is located within a few pages of sanctioned by the War Department. He was not necessarily in any way whatsoever to all the great Offices of State, the Colonial Office organized a company, of 200 soldiers, at his own blame if she had no light, though in this case and the Foreign Office of particular coming expense, at Tati, concession, Matabeleland, and rendered valuable and distinguished services in

Oregon, on the previous day, of Mr. John of those on board his jank were lost. Of the are to be pullified by this Chinese political where he filed a claim against the Transva government with Krueger's representative in Amongst the Chinese Customs officials are that city. After many conferences the claim to be found quite a number of noodles who was rejected, and Mr. Willoughby journeyed In answer to Mr. Robinson, plaintiff said he are related to the various permanent officials back to England. He was perturbed, but had the rank of lat-class assistant in 1866, leaving usually carried a light to give notice to stoamers of our great Offices of State and whose not given up hopes. What to do then was claims to the appointments they hold are question of deep consideration. He was practically penniless, but full of ambition. His A.D.C. After leaving China he lived for a boat, corroborated. He said that on the occa- British policy in the Far East. Nobody who second cousin, Sir John Christopher Willoughhy, was director of the Mashenaland Company published a voluminous history of Solano and saw the white light of the steamer on the moment that a commercial agency for forward of his name, and was second in command of the County, Cal. Then he moved to Oregon and port side, and he reported the matter to the ing stationery and incapables will require a forces of the Imperial British South African Company and who, in 1896, accompanied Doctor Jameson into the Transvaal; but to him he several other functionaries paid on a similar would not make known his condition.

On September, 8th, 1898, he was at Penarth The Customs is not to blame for this state of Roads! Cardiff, whore a number of sailing yesaffairs, but our own officials, whose laziness or sels wore loading for foreign countries, and somecupidity has allowed them to become as potter's ready for sea. His mining experiences, in clay in the hands of a man who knows his America where he had been, as well as in Africa, business, but whose business and interests are had brought him in contact with more of the at all points conflictive with the interests which rough than refined element, but it had not altered British officials are supposed to salegnard and him. He was and is a gentlemen and a scholar He had had experience with the rough element, however, and he knew how to take them, so he concluded to become a sailor, temporarily, and on that day he shipped as an able somman on the British ship Torrisdate, which was then ready for see and without a full erew. Sailors Messre. Clarke and Co.'s saw-mill, Bangkok, were scarce and no questions were asked of him was burned down on Saturday evening, 22nd as to his ability. The Torrisdule was laden April, the blaze of the burning timber being | with Cardiff coal for Nagasaki, and with her he seen over half the town. The fire began about | came before the mast. It was not a profession half-past seven o'clock, and appears to have according to his ethics; it was a calling only, and been caused by a kerosine cillamp falling down, one with which he was unacquainted, His A watchman saw the accident, and his method former attempts to cope with a new condition of repairing the mischief was to cover the whole of things had been successful and it was his

thing up with sawdust. There were fire ex. fixed determination to be so in his new role. The Torrisdale put to ses, and he belped 42,160,000 but the application of sawdust to the burning | man her until she arrived safely at her destinaoil simply made a big bondies at once, and the tion. He was willing and the ship's officers wetchman seeing his first effort had so unfort. overlooked his inexperience, and he got along unate a result did not think of doing anything admirably. It was only a few weeks until he further while there might still have been could describe the "Flamish horse," and make and was not seen again till next day. The was that of a full "able seaman.". But flames spread with fearful rapidity. Mr. S. H. bis seafaring days are now over. He Hendricks was the first of the staff of the has mining acquaintances in Hongkong, and firm who was sware of the outbreak, but even with the money which he got on his discharge, by that time, the fire had too strong a hold for he hopes to be able to reach his concessions in the appliances on the spot to be of much use. the Matabeleland, where once more he will try A telephone message was at once sent to the to regain his lost possessions. Ronglaw, and in a very short time one of the Captain Willoughby refers to his experiences

big tire engines of the Royal Navy was down before the mast as a passing event of time. Heand at work. Others followed as speedily as is slready a B.A. but is glad to be able to add possible and small engines also turned up to his name the letters A.B. He sailed for from the neighbouring firms. The fire Hongkong on the O. & O. steamer Doric on was got under control about hine o'clock, 28th April - Nagusaki Press.

> INSURANCE COMPANIES IN JABAN UNDER THE NEW TREATIES.

It is stated that a regulation will shortly be

issued by the Agricultural and Commercial

Department in regard to the control of foreign neighbours, and by the police under Mr. Richardson, Mr. Grove, and Mr. Lawson. - Bangkok insurance offices in Japan after the new Treaties come into force. By this regulation any foreign insurance company carrying on business LATEST STEAMER HOVEMENTS dividual or a committee to represent it in this The Zakata Mara (Europe line) left Singa. country, having full authority to decide all pore for this port on Thursday and is expected matters relating to the company exactly as it the head office were established in Japan, The C. P. B. steamer Empress of Japan ar- Any company having more than one branch or rived at Nagasaki at 6 a.m. on Thursday, the lagency in Japan shall appoint one as its representative, which shall take rank as the head Liebig Company's Extract. Its effect is more gold currency was adopted has now been Bhanghai where she was due to arrive at 10.30 office, and all the others will be regarded as pin (youterday) Friday the 5th Instant. branches or agencies .- Kobs Chronicle.

OUNTON NUTTE.

THROM THE "CHUNG MOO! BAN PO. On the 24th ultimo a passenger-jank plytu between Canton and Wangkong village Salchin district was robbed. The usual was srranged. Some robbers boarded junk as passengers before the left Canton, when she was sailing near Pingchow, a long boat containing shout twenty robbers was Banks.-Hongkong and Shanghais.-With rowed towards her. The robbers on board the junk on seeing the approach of their accomplices, sailing, which order was promptly obeyed. When the robbers were going to abstract all the valuables on board the junk, some passengers, being ulso armed, offered resistance, but as they wore few in number, they were not a match for the robbers, who were therefore able to execute their wishes friumphantly. One of the passen-

On the 29th ultimo a destructive fire broke Saping, in Hokshan district, where a theatrical FIRE INSUBANCES. Hongkong Fires have performance was going on for the celebration of the festival of the Queen of Heaven. There closing with buyers at \$2974. Chine Fires | werelover two thousand visitors, male and female. When the alarm of fire was raised, the people SHIPPING.—Hongkong, Canton and Macaos left the place in a panic, several persons being trampled to death in the stampeds and over a The price of raw silk is daily advancing, the

costs nine bundred and odd dollars against seven or eight bundred dollars in the last three business at \$55%, closing with buyers at \$55 and years. The price of mulberry leaves is also sellers at \$56. China Manilas and China very high, a picul costing two dellars and Mutuals unchanged and with no sales to thirty cents against a dollar and twenty or thirty conts in former years.

It is reported that playing has made its appearance in Loongkong village, in Santak disatrick. About fifteen persons have succombed since the 20th ultimo...

AFFAIRS IN SHANTUNG.

It is very evident that affairs in Shantung crushing, have been enquired for and changed Our correspondent has taken special pains DOCES, WHARVES, AND GODOWNS .- Hong- follow, and where he could not go himself and at 343 for 31st instant, the market since. There are now in the Chi-mo-district LANDS, HOTELS, AND BUILDINGS. Hong. old China will either begin a new life, or cease able was the Issuikyo, or the collection of all

> 1.—Early in the second Chinese month of this year (Merch) a sect was organized in western Chime called the Great Knife Secta The names of ten men have been given me. It is said those men are chief leaders and under

The object of this sect to far as can be Igarned from outside sources is unrelenting hostility to the Christian roligion and to all foreigners: In front of the leaders' doors are suspended red flags about three feet square. In the centre of the flag are written four characters from the Lunya, which seems to be understood to mean Vigilance Committee for Mutual Protection, also with the leader's name and village. It is estimated that the enrolled members now number more than one thousand and daily in-

II .- On the 13th of the 2nd month (March 24th) this sect began a systematic persecution of Christians at the village of Yen-kin-chwang. I have the name of fourteen villages which have been attacked, and the names of men representing sixty families, who within twenty-days attacked and robbed by this lawless and unreasonable sect. The crowd rushed into the bemos of the Christians and carried off everything that could be found, also drove away cattle, mules, etc. Any who tried to protect their homes or property were savagely besten. The British steamer Whampon, from Swatow A number received serious injury. The per-4th May, had light southerly winds and fine secution was confined to members of the Catholic | weather. Church, then went to the home of Fan Hee ther, were all carried to the home of the leader. A and rainy thence to port fine weather and cow was taken, which the following day, was slmost calm. millaged the homes of two Catholic families. Amoy-Hailoong. In Swatow-Pronic. Many of these people do not dare to return to many, who under different organizances would aid them, are afraid to supply inem with food smooth sea, and fine cloudy weather. Vessels food for fear of bringing hostility upon them. in Tamsui-Wosang. In Amoy-Wenchow and

III .- April 15th I sent a statement of what had happened at Who Liu Chwang to the Chi me Magistrate and told him that not only were the lives and property of my church members. in leonardy but my own life and the lives of my preachers were threatened and saked for instruction. The Magistrate did not deign to renly or even send a card acknowledgeing my letter. Evidently a foreigner's passport does not count for much at the Chi-me vamen at present one of the secretaries in the vamen told my messenger that all the complaints made by the Catholics were found to be false and the presumption was that my

complaint was also unture. Thus far it is said no one has been arrested Twice the magistrate has gone to the disturbed district to give the people fatherly, advice and request them to obey the laws and live at peace. with their neighbours. The rioters understand his action to mean, that they have his sympathy and approval in all they are doing .- The mensent from the Yamen to see the wounded men. it is said, reported concerning one man, whose head was battered by the rictors so that his life from a severe attack of boils and not from any other injury. The Yamen runners sent in answer to the reported complaints from the personnted 40 and injured people, were always entertained and feasted by the rioters, and as a rule never went

near the Christians nor looked into their empty IV .- It is believed by all parties that the Chi-me magistrate, even if willing to protect the Christians in their rights, is powerless and dare not oppose this new seet. The majority of the soldiers supposed to police end preserve order in the Chi-me hien are said time. Instead he ran off as hard as he could, the "skysall" halyards tant. He discharge to be farmers, who are summoned to meet and play soldier for a few days when a visit is ex-pected from the Governor. During the rest 40 of the year they remain at home and carry on their ordinary occupation. Such men are no naturally much feared by their neighbours.

The persecuted people at present sourcely

dare to speak in the presence of members of this sect, as they have been threatened with loss of life and confiscation of houses and land if by any means they give testimony which will lend to the arrest and punishment of any of the ricters. It is said leading members of this sect are daily seen in conversation with the various secretaries and men in the yamen. and also visit the Chief Magistrate. V. I have heard of inflamatory placards posted at the markets, temples, etc., extending over a wide territory. One now before me states: Foreigners here come to Tsintao to injure the people. Day by day the situation is growing worse. The people are to be compiled. to pay taxes and evidently the intention is to extend the (German) boundary. What can bedom: to escape this evil ? The people (The Chinese) have all decided to resist foreign power. All living within (German territory) or without are warned not to work for the foreigners nor to take their grain and fuel to Taintao for sale. All who see this notice just turn back. Any who do not heed it will be siezed and violenty robbed. Evil men are circulating reports that the Garmans are soon to collect's heavy laz monthly on all land, and that mules, donkeys,

cattle, and even dogs are to be taxed.

were distinctly heard at the Church where mere holding rolligious gervice. Boon work came that the German soldiers had killed three Chinese and severely wounded a fourth. Upon inquiry it was loarned that near the village of Yang Kin T'sun the Germans created a beacon on the German boundary and warned the people that it must not be removed. It soon, however, disappeared. A notice was sent to the people of this village that they must either find and report the offending party or pay a fine of \$2,000. Some German soldiers afterwards came to make inpuiries but could find no one in the least concerned or willing to discuss the matter. The German seized two mules and two donkeys and told the people they would keep them until they redeemed them by paying \$2,000. Some men from this village joined by others who were attending a market rushed after the Germans and began throwing stones at them. No attention was paid to the warning given by firing a shot into the air and the result was as above stated. The Chinese magistrate was entreated to hold an inquiry and take up the case. He refused to have anything to do with the case, saying these men all lived in German territory and if the Germans wished to kill their people it was their own affair. Two days later, however, the Magistrate went to hold an inquest. It is said he feared if he did nothing there might be a riot at his yamen, as there was last autning. This seems to be a popular way the people here have of enforcing their

missionary and hooting him out of the village where this occurred. The present generation in this district has grown up from childhood encouraged to treat foreigners with the atmost contempt. It is said in many homes foreigners are never epoken of except to revile them. They are privately and publicly spoken of as devils. as things, etc. The common name for the native converts is Ur Kweiter, second-class devils. The Missionaries of course are the chief ones.

wishes. It is beginning to dawn on some minds

that the stoning armed soldiers has a very dif-

fering meaning from stoning missionaries and

native Christians, a practice that was begun

thirty years ago by this people. One of the

men killed was 26 years ago arrested and found

guilty of taking the lead in the stoning of a

What men persist in sowing they must reap the harvest. At present all join in saying that no foreigner unless strongly guarded could safely travel in some parts of the Chi-me disrict. The great need of rain is adding to the unrest. Farmers are idle, waiting for rain before they can sow their spring crops:-

DESTRUCTION OF AN ANCIENT BUDDHIST MONASTERY IN - JAPAN.

. The Japan Times reports that a Buddhist monastery, more than 1,200 years old, has been way there will be a turn in affairs, so that poor | costly treasures in its possession the most valuto be China as she is now ruled. How- the sacred writings of Buddhism, presented to ever, after a number of days spent in the the monastery by Emperer Shomu, which is Chi-me district he and others thoroughly believe said to have been brought direct from India. of the 265 cases of these books were saved. The seven sacred images which had eyes set in diamonds were also burned. It is said 40,000 ven were offered once by an American for them. The lost treasures being mostly of precious metals, their ashes are being sifted under the them is a leader for every ten members of the supervision of the police. The entire damage is estimated at two million ven.

> OHINA TO BE REPRESENTED AT THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

The Feking correspondent of the N. C. Daily News says that Li Hung chang was talking with the Dutch Minister the other day, and inquired why China had not been invited to participate in the Peace Conforence next month at the Hagne? The Minister was puzzled, but finally said he would telegraph to his Government about it. He did so, and promptly received instructions to ask China to send a representative. Probably the Ambassador to the Court of St. James will be selected for this bonour, but whoever goes, it is certain that he will be fully as zealous in urging disarmament as the Great White Czar himself. China wants peace—and a great deal beside.

SELPPING REPURIS.

church until early morning April 14th Wang - The British steamer Phra C. C. Klao. from Ihnin, one of the head men living in the village | Bangkok and Koh- i-chang 29th April, hadof Who Liu Chwong, 50 li west of Chi-me city, light wind and clear weather to Varella; off led a crowd of upwards of thirty men and first | Varella N.W. squalls with rain; from thence to

Ching a member of the same church, and cleared The Norwegian steamer Hermes, from Chefoo the house of everything. The grain supply for | 29th April, had fine weather and variable wind a large family until new harvest crop, clothing, to lat. 33 deg.; from there to 80 deg. strong bedding diebes kettles farming implements, etc. breeze from N. and N.N.E. weather overcas

sold for twenty two thousand cash to one of The British steamer Thales, from Foschow their members and the money turned over to 2nd May, Amoy 3rd, and Swatow 4th, had light the treasurer of the new seet. The mob next S.W. and S. winds and calm sea. Vessels in went to Whongwo a village three if north and Foschow-Yakhoi and H.M.S. Waterwitch. In The British steamer Hailsong, from Tamsui their desolated homes for foar of still more | 2nd May, and Swatow 4th, had moderate folhostile treatment. They are in deep poverty, lowing wind and sea, fine and clear weather to Amoy. From Amoy to port light S.W. wind,

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, 3rd May, 1899,	DODWELL & CO., LIMIT Agonta Hongkong, 28th-April, 1899

LIVE WHO CHOUNTER CLOSING QUUTATIONS. The steamer Ethnickdale with the American mail, left Kobe on Monday, the 1st instant, FRIDAY, 5th May, EXCHANGE. , 1897, and may be expected here to day. London. --The T. K. Riemaner Nippon Maru, with the American mail, left Yokohama on Tues-e d day the 2nd instant, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., left Sur Francisco for this port Dooumentary Bills, 4 months aight 20 N PARIS. via Himolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Rabe, Bank Bills, on demand ...........2.48 Nagasaki, ami Shanghai, on the 20th ultimo. The C. P. ff. steamer Tarter left Vancouver. B.U., on Honday, the 23rd ultimo, for Kobe, Nagasaki and Hongkong.

The O. & O. steamer Coptic, with mails, &c. left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu. Yokohama, Inland Ses, Kobe Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 28th ultimo. n Gurmany .--On doment ....... 201: IN NEW YORK.-ON BOMBAY. THE PERNOR MAIL. The M. M. steamer Lace, with the French ON CALCUTTA. mail of the 7th ultimo, leaves Baigon on FIRE Friday, the 5th instant, at 8 s.m., and may be expected here on Sunday, the 7th instant. ON SHANGHAL .--& CO., This i acket brings replies to letters despatched from Hougkong on the 4th March.

THE CANADIAN MAIL. ON YOROHAMA. The C. P. R. Co.'s steamer Empress of Japan. arrived at Nagasoki at 6 a.m. on Thursday, the ON MANULL. 4th instant, and left again at 3 p.m. of same day for Shanghal, where she was due to strive at ON SINGAPORE .-pointed 10.30 p.m. on Friday, the 5th instant. MERUHANT STRAMBES Sovennions, Bank's Buying Rate. 10.01 The C. & O. S. S. Co's steamer Shantung GOLD LEAP, INL fine, per teel ...... 52.75 left San Diego for Yokohama, &c., on the 16th JOINT STOCK SHARES. The N. P. steamer Lennor sailed from Port-QUOTATION. PAID UP. COMPANY. -land, Or., on the 23rd ultimo, for Japan and [\$476], buyer: \$125 |281 °/o prem. Hongkong & S'leai. · China & Japan, pri The P. & O. steamer Nankin left Singapore monulual for this port on the 3rd instant at 8 a.m. Do. ordinary. Do. deferred... £1 £5.59. The "Ben" Line steamer Benlawers, from Natl. Bank of China above Antwerp, and London, left Singapore on Fri-£8 \$12, scilors £1 \$12 B. Shares First day, the 28th ultimo, for this port. Current The Austrian bloyd's steamer Marquis Bacquelen left Mojl for this port on the 2nd Founders Shares. £1 nominal Bell's Asbestos E. A. ... \$10 \$10\frac{1}{2}, nations Campbell, Moore & Co. \$10 \$0.70 Beilers China Prov. L. & M... The N. Y. K. steamer Kakata Maru (Enrope China Sugar ...... \$100, \$160, buyere Line) left Singapore for this port on the 4th Cotton Mills-instant, and is expected to arrive here on the Lain Kung Mow .. Pls. 100 Tls 70 The N. Y. K. stermer Milke Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay, via Tuticorin and Singapore for this port on the 24th ultime, and is Yahloong ...... Tis. 100 Tis. 55. orpected to arrive here on the 11th instant.

The N. G. I steamer Bisagno left Bombay for this port on the 23rd ultime, and is due Dairy Farm Co. Account Fenwick & Co., Geo.... \$25 335, buyers here on or about the 12th instant: \$10 \$24}, eller Green Island Cement... \$50 \$31 II. & China Bakery .... Hongkong & C. Gas .. £10 \$123, buyers PASSED THE CANAL. OUTWARD .- 14th April-Indrapura, Kintuck. \$10 \$11.75, sellers Hongkong Electric ... Laos, Bamberg, Idomeneus, Palatinia.
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